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GERMAN OFFICER IS SEVERELY PUNISHED TORPEDOING SUSSEX

Alleged That the Submarine Commander Deceived The German Government In His Report of Sinking Ship. Indignation In Berlin.

THE HAGUE, May 13.—The commander of the German submarine, that torpedoed the Sussex, is believed, among well informed circles, to have been severely punished. It is alleged that the officer deceived the government in his report of the torpedoing, which has aroused great indignation and humiliation in Berlin, in view of the American evidence. Additional submarine concessions have been made by Germany, by directing quiet movement to squelch the plots of the anti-American propagandists.

FRENCH NIGHT ATTACK FAILS

BERLIN, May 12.—French night attacks southwest of Verdun failed under heavy German infantry fire, the French suffering great loss. French were also repulsed at Avencourt, near Malancourt Woods.

"PREPAREDNESS" PARADE AT N. Y.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Beginning at 9:30 this morning and ending at 10 o'clock tonight, New York today is staging one of the most extraordinary parades in history.

Between the hours named, 150,000 business and professional men and women are marching in a parade to show their interest and to stir up the interest of New Yorkers in better military, naval and industrial preparedness in this country.

From the time the first delegation of marchers is sent on its way at 9:30 until the National Guardsmen complete their march at 10 o'clock at night, marchers will be on the streets, the different delegations being sent at intervals.

Representatives of sixty-six trades and professions will be in the parade. Roger W. Allen, the Secretary of the committee, estimates that there will be at least 25,000 women in line. The women parade in the evening. Calcium lights will be used from the tops of buildings along the line of march to light up the way for the women and soldiers.

Colonel Charles H. Sherrill, formerly United States Minister to the Argentine Republic, is the Grand Marshal, with Major Alfred B. Whitney as Chief of Staff, and Colonel Arthur P. Schermerhorn and Captain Latham G. Reed as Chief of Aids.

The program calls for the passing of 11,000 marchers by a given point every hour of the ten. Electric light corporations will add to the illumination of Fifth Avenue by the installation of powerful searchlights at short intervals.

The National Guard will be the only marchers in uniform. No signs or banners other than to designate the various divisions are permitted.

Only two vehicles will be in line. These will head the parade. One will be occupied by Major Mitchell and the other by Major Gen. Wood, commanding the Department of the East of the United States army.

The line of march is from Bowling Green up Broadway and Fifth Avenue to Fortieth Street.

Sixteen hundred women will sit for preparedness. The twenty thousand marchers will represent working women, professional women and women of leisure, such as Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, Mrs. Borden Hariman and debutantes and young matrons.

The sixteen hundred who will sit are mostly members of the National Civic Federation. This section took a vote on the question of marching and Miss Anne Morgan, Mrs. Lindor Bates, Miss Maudie Wetmore and all the officers save one were against it. They said there wasn't time to get out a representative division and they could make a much more impressive showing by building a stand and watching the parade.

Accordingly the stand was erected at Twenty-Fourth street, just across Fifth Avenue from the main reviewing stand. They will keep the

FOOD RIOTS IN GERMANY

LONDON, May 12.—Geneva reports unprecedented food riots at Mannheim, Germany, this morning. The mob was quelled by the use of machine guns. Over three hundred were killed and wounded.

MORE REVERENCE FOR THE U. S. FLAG

NEWARK, N. J., May 12.—The orchestra that makes a fast desperate bid for applause by hanging out the Star Spangled Banner, the band that leads My Country 'Tis of Thee with ragtime, and the vaudeville act that closes with a tremendous flapping of the American flag will all be under the ban, if the National Sons of the American Revolution, who met here today, have their way.

Members of this organization, all sons of the men who achieved American independence, plan a campaign for laws in all the states and territories against such performances. It is part of their effort to bring about a "more dignified and reverent" attitude toward the Fathers of the Republic.

A campaign to educate aliens in the history and spirit of the American nation also is under way. Among the trips, receptions, dances and banquets will be an auto ride to a spot near Trenton where Washington distributed the bounty he had captured from the Hessians to the original owners. Secretary of War Baker is to address the society tonight.

It is the Society's twenty-seventh convention.

ONE SIXTH TEXAS MILITIA IS UNFIT

SAN ANTONIO, May 14.—Physical unfitness is causing about one-sixth of the Texas Militia to be sent home. Mobilization is suspended.

Stand fast from 9:29 a. m. until the hour in the evening when it ends. They will serve in three-hour shifts, Miss Morgan heading the first relay. Col. Charles H. Sherrill never thought of asking the women. But a young bride, whose husband was at Plattsburg, sent Col. Sherrill about it, and he told her that if she could handle 200 women to go ahead. The next day she was back with 200 names.

Col. Sherrill put the women off to the very end of the day. The first feminine section will leave Washington Square at 6 p. m. From then until 8 they will be going out from the area in sections at intervals of ten minutes apart. The late hour is a good thing for the working women who want to march.

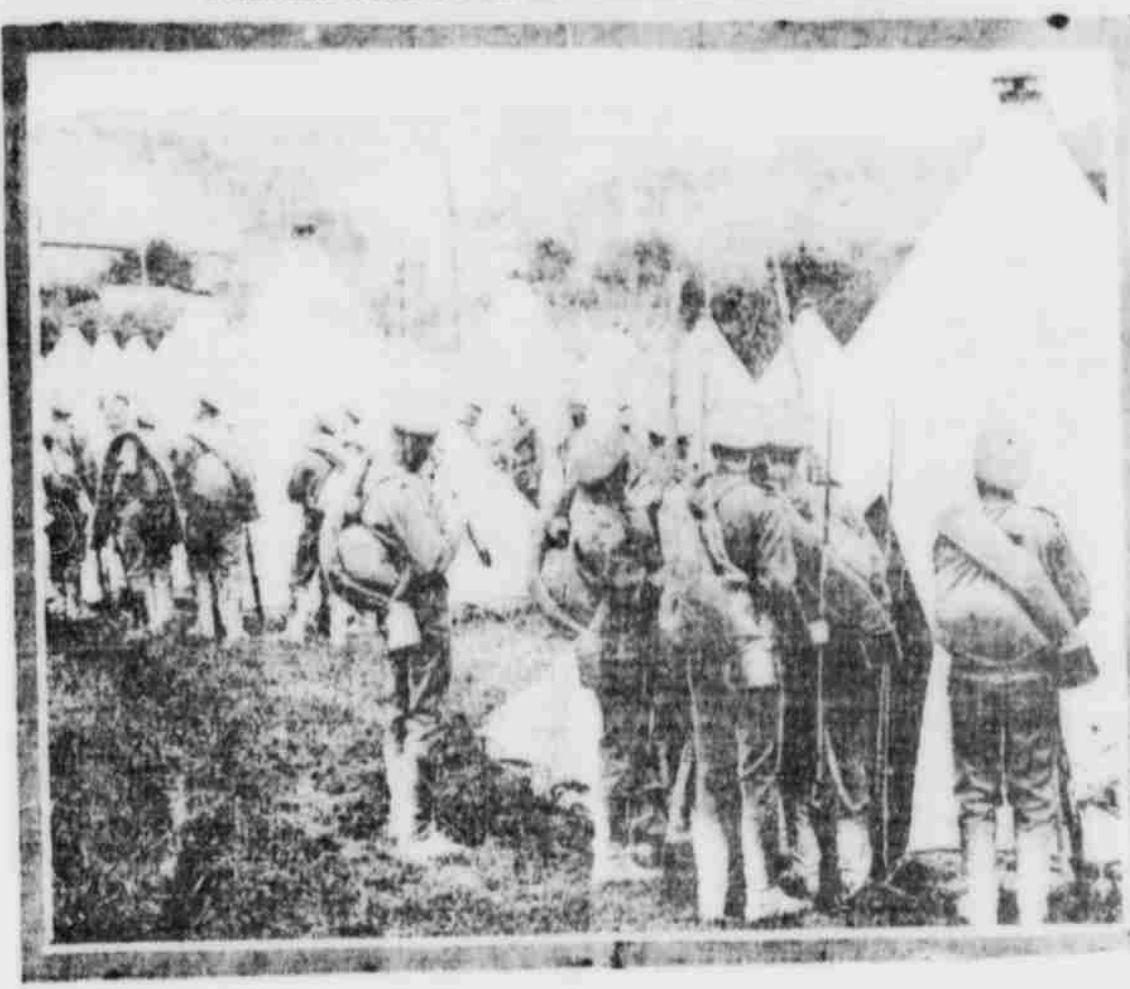
Financial and business interests in lower Manhattan contributed 7,000 marchers.

Five bands of forty pieces each have been engaged.

Members of the Cotton, Produce and Coffee exchanges also are largely represented.

President was discredited and the high hat was thrown into the discard as a distinguishing mark for public officials when the Board of Aldermen decided to march in a body wearing derby.

Russian Soldiers on the Battle Line in France.



Russian soldiers have actually reached the battle line in France, as this picture shows. It was taken at the Matilly military camp. The Russians are encamped here by the thousand, and all ready for battle.

REPULSE FIERCE FRENCH ATTACK

PARIS, May 12.—A fierce attack of the French was repulsed by the Germans following a heavy bombardment near Thionville, northeast of Verdun. Losses on both sides were heavy. French report slight gains.

SHEEPSHEAD AUTO RACES HELD TODAY

NEW YORK, May 13.—Four auto-racing events are on the card at Sheepshead Bay today—the real opening of the 1916 season of Speed racing in America.

The Metropolitan trophy, 150 miles, \$5,000 for first, \$2,000 for second, \$2,000 for third, \$1,000 for fourth, \$1,000 for fifth, \$500 for sixth and \$400 for seventh. The queens cup race, 50 miles, \$1,000 for first, \$500 for second, \$250 for third, \$200 for fourth and \$200 for fifth.

Come Island cup race, 20 miles, \$500 for first, \$250 for second, \$250 for third, \$200 for fourth and \$200 for fifth. The William Kemble handicap cup a consolation event for the non-winners of prizes in the first three, 10 miles, \$400 for first, \$200 for second, \$175 for third, \$125 for fourth and \$100 for fifth.

The track is in great condition for the meet, says manager Edward Thompson, who expects to see new records made.

In the first race staged on the course till Anderson's State being up a world record of 1:02.58 miles per hour in 2:00 miles. Within a short time four others went over the 100 mile distance in a time at the rate of 1:05.50, miles per hour.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Some of the most prominent horse owners in the country have their favorites entered in the two day race meet of the United States Racing Association, which opens at the Belmont Park tomorrow.

The second day's events will be held Wednesday (May 17). The entry list is 276, the greatest number ever posted for a race meet in America.

There are thirteen events for both prizes totaling \$45,000, and hand-some trophies. Two races each day are limited to gentlemen riders and to encourage their participation in all of the events the amateurs are allowed a five pound handicap in the other races.

PIECE OIL AND MEX. WATER AND LIGHT CO. GETTING THEIRS

GALVESTON, May 12.—Cablegrams received here state that the Pierce Oil Corporation and Light and Water Company, at Mexico City were fined three hundred thousand dollars each for violating the decree requiring the acceptance of paper money.

ANOTHER WATCHFUL WAITING PROGRAM

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12.—The Mexican situation is one of "watchful waiting," again. The Colombian line is being contracted. The Marston expedition is, apparently, not on the trail of the Glen Springs raiders. Barral regions are determined to eliminate bandits. Army officials fear a German outbreak when they learn that American refuse to leave Mexico.

HOOSIERS CELEBRATE INDIANA CENTENIAL

CORYDON, Ind., May 13.—Hoo-siers (backed by 100,000 people) met here today to celebrate the fact that one hundred years ago to-day Indiana was admitted to the Union as the nineteenth state.

This village was Indiana's first capital. Here Indiana's first constitution was drafted up under an elm that still stands, and which figured prominently in today's celebration. The centennial will culminate in a big program at Indianapolis.

BULGARIANS SHIFT TO ROUMANIAN LINE

BONIFERO, May 12.—Bulgarian patches state that Bulgarians are withdrawing from the Roumanian frontier and shifting to the Yugoslav front. The shift is attributed to lack of confidence.

ANOTHER REASON FOR RESIGNATION

CHICAGO, May 12.—The Chicago Tribune today says that the resignation of the Secretary of the Chicago Board of Trade is being considered by the board.

73 CARS REGULARS FOR BORDER DUTY

KANSAS CITY, May 12.—Brigadier General Greene, commandant of the army militia, passed through here with seventy-three cars of regular troops and equipment enroute to the border.

MEXICAN HORSE THIEVES RAID

LARCHMONT, May 12.—The school house was burned at Larchmont, following an attempted raid by Mexican horse thieves. It is believed that the raiders are at the Johnson farm nearby. All the thieves on spot.

ADVANCED LINE IS MOVING BACK

COLUMBIA, May 12.—Two hundred motor trucks are engaged in moving back the advanced line of the Colombian line. Large stores are being concentrated here for transportation along the line against the rainy season. The New Mexico Militia will be redeployed today.

145,000 IN N. Y. PARADE

NEW YORK, May 13.—A hundred and forty-five thousand men and women marched in the parade today to show their preparedness. A sum totaling \$100,000 was collected throughout the day.

COTTON CONSUMPTION GREATER THAN IN 1915

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Cotton consumption in the United States for the year ending September 30, 1915, was 1,000,000 bales, according to the report of the Bureau of Census.

MIGHT WELCOME ANTI-MILITARISM

NEW YORK, May 12.—The American people are in a mood to welcome anti-militarism, according to a survey made by the American Anti-Militarism League.

WILSON UNABLE TO ATTEND INDUSTRIAL EXPOSITION

NEW YORK, May 12.—Woodrow Wilson is unable to attend the Industrial Exposition at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel today because of a cold.

CONFEREES GETTING TOGETHER ON ARMY REORGANIZATION BILL

Though the Measure is a Compromise, It Includes All the Measures of the Big Army Advocates, Except the Federal Reserve.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 13.—The Army Reorganization Bill, which the conferees of the Senate and House reported to both branches today calls for a defence force of six hundred and fifty-four thousand men in time of peace. The report failed after several weeks of debate.

Though the measure is a compromise, it included the provisions of all big army advocates, except the Federal reserve. Action is expected, Monday, as both chairmen are urging passage. The defence force is to consist of 200,000 in time of peace and 400,000 militia. The government reserves the power to command the manufacturing plants for the making of munitions. A board will be appointed to investigate the advisability of the government making their own war supplies. \$20,000,000 is provided for a nitrate plant.

REPORT VILLA NEAR CARRIZO

FIELD HEADQUARTERS, SAN ANTONIO, May 12.—Villa, with a force of 1,000 men, is reported to be near Carrizozo, thirty miles northwest of El Paso. The report excited but little interest here. The redeployment of the troops continues.

MEXICO MUDDLE GETS LAY OFF

EL PASO, May 12.—A report of a battle in the Mexican border, between Carrizozo and El Paso, has been widely reported and is also the subject of many rumors. The report is a muddle.

CELEBRATE "NAVY DAY"

BOSTON, May 12.—With ships from twelve nations, including the United States, the Navy Department is celebrating "Navy Day" today. The day is observed in all parts of the world.

RUMOR TROUBLE CHINESE PALACE

PEKING, May 12.—Rumors of trouble in the palace and the possible deposition of Yuan Shikai's personal camp have created great uneasiness in Peking, especially among the Chinese. For several days all traffic has been suspended, and the Chinese are in a state of confusion. The rumors are that Yuan Shikai is planning to abdicate and that the Chinese are in a state of confusion.

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